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Notes and Comments

"EVERY GRADUATE A CONTRIBUTOR OF THE MEMORIAL FUND"

This is the slogan that our Honorary President has given us. Some have done their share; many have delayed, but we can delay no longer. The time has come for action. This winter should see the Memorial well on the way to establishment—or why not an accomplished fact? Can we do it? Those whom we commemorate did far more. Send your cheques without delay to the *University of Alberta Memorial Fund*, in care of the Treasurer of the Alumni Association. *Every* graduate a contributor.

The following from an article by J. S. Woodsworth, M.P., in the *Canadian Forum*, should help us to see ourselves as others see us:

"Within the universities the students affect the 'open mind,' but in practice this means a spongy mind. Few graduates have real convictions on matters of public policy or are fired with ambition to make a definite contribution toward the national welfare. In our state or privately-endowed universities, academic freedom, when shown, is often of a rather imported character, reflected or exotic in type. It is not born of the soil and does not spread rapidly."

In consequence of Miss Margaret Archibald's departure for Toronto to take up a fellowship in French, Miss Helen Beny has been appointed to succeed her as secretary of the Alumni Association.

Do not fail to read how the rugby team was entertained by the Calgary Alumni. The action of our comrades in Calgary is just what we should expect of them, and shows the genuineness of their university spirit—all together for the U. of A.!

Meetings of the Alumni Association

The first general meeting of the Alumni Association of the University of Alberta for the year 1924-25 was held in the "Hudsonia" on Saturday, October 25th, at 1:15 p.m.

There were present: Vice-President Jackson, in the chair; Honorary President Dr. Sheldon, Mrs. Sheldon, and about thirty members of the Association.

The minutes of the last general meeting in May were read and approved.

Dr. Sheldon thanked the members of the Alumni Association for electing him their Honorary President. He then gave an interesting ten-minute talk on the "Ideal Alumni Association." "An Ideal institution is really referred back to the individual graduate," said Dr. Sheldon.

"It is ideal if the individual members of it are ideal." At this point Dr. Sheldon suggested that at some future time a "dutch-treat" luncheon be arranged for the members of the University staff and the members of the Alumni for the purpose of becoming better acquainted with each other.

The question of the War Memorial was also raised by our Honorary President. In this connection he suggested our slogan be, "Every Graduate a contributor to the War Memorial." The War Memorial should be a very definite object for which to work this year, and such a memorial would be a very definite contribution to our University life.

Mr. Jackson, on behalf of the members of the Association present, gave a hearty vote of thanks to Dr. Sheldon for his valuable suggestions.

The Chairman explained that the additional charge of fifteen cents each for the luncheon was to defray the advertising expenses. He then called for an expression of opinion regarding the War Memorial. Mr. Craig explained that the reason there is no Memorial today is the apathy and lack of interest in the subject on the part of the average Alumnus. Mr. Jones asserted that if this matter were delayed much longer the apathy would be increased, and that nothing should be left undone to advance the memorial this winter. It was then moved by Mr. Rehwinkel and seconded by Mr. Jones, that this matter be referred back to the Executive for action.

Mr. Rehwinkel moved that the Executive act on Dr. Sheldon's suggestion of the joint luncheon for staff and members of the Alumni Association. The suggestion was heartily endorsed.

It was left with Mr. Leaver and Mr. Young to arrange for an Editorial Committee to be henceforth jointly responsible for conducting the *Trail*.

The meeting adjourned at about 2:30.

SECOND MEETING

The second meeting of the Association, held on November 22, was called specially to push forward plans for the University War Memorial.

The president, Mr. Laycock, reported that the General Memorial Committee, consisting of representatives from the Senate, the Board of Governors, the Faculty, the Alumni and the Students' Union, had met recently at the request of the Alumni executive, and had decided to prosecute an active campaign with the Alumni Association acting as finance committee. The General Committee had also discussed what form the memorial should take, and favoured a pipe organ for Convocation Hall. Formal decision was postponed, however, till the meeting of the committee to be held at the end of November.

President Laycock also reported laying the matter before the Calgary Alumni on November 14, and receiving their cordial support. The Calgary Alumni will make their own plans for raising money, and from all reports they are active.

The meeting then evolved into a round-table discussion of the memorial from all angles. It approved unanimously of a pipe-organ, but made it clear that it will loyally support any scheme which the General Memorial Committee decides on, for that committee represents all parts of the University. The spirit of the meeting was admirable. The cause was felt to be a noble one, and to demand nothing less than great sacrifice of time, money and energy from every alumnus. If this spirit seizes every graduate and every other member of the University, there will be little difficulty in raising the several thousand dollars required.

On the motion of Mr. Roy Jackson and Mrs. Morrison, the executive was directed to choose a large committee to advance the Memorial Fund as vigorously as possible.

The Advisory Council of the Alumni Association met almost immediately and proceeded with the organization of this special finance committee.

Notes From Calgary

WHERE THE ALUMNI ARE VERY MUCH ALIVE.

Calgary.—The local University of Alberta Alumni started their 1924-1925 season with a dance at the Isis Palace in honor of the University of Alberta rugby team and their victorious opponents in the final of the Alberta rugby championship, the Calgary Fiftieth. Perhaps, to be really accurate, we should say that the activities started about a week earlier under the direction of the local executive, Charlie Reilly '20, Miss Kitty Williams '22, and James R. Davidson '21.

Cheer practices were held under the direction of Jim MacMillan, '24, when the Calgary grads once more learned the old yells and songs which were to encourage the gold and green to victory over the Calgary team.

At the game, although the bitterly cold weather frightened away a number of the spectators, the grads made a brave showing with colours and yells. Although the students did not win, it was a great game.

At the dance in the evening, which was held under the direction of the executive and Ross Douglas '24, and E. C. Snider '20, there was an attendance of about 175 students and friends of the rugby team. The success of the dance was largely due to the efforts of Mr. Douglas, the energetic master of ceremonies. During the festive event the Belangier trophy was presented to Captain Gordon McTeer by Dr. Mason, vice-president of the Alberta Rugby Union.

F. E. Osborne, member of the board of governors, and an honorary official of the Calgary grads, was in prominence assisting the grads in taking care of the student team at the Varsity-Calgary game.

The students were anxious to win if only to help defeat their old team-mates, "Chief" Davis and Dunc. McNeill.

The next official function of the Calgary Association will be the annual Christmas dance when all the grads and present students meet.

If it were not for Coach Jimmy Bill, the old timers would not have known anybody on the Varsity team.

Harry Nolan, one of the old timers, found that the current songs and yells of the old Varsity had not changed very much.

Mac Millard, '24, breezed up to see the contest from Macleod, where he is in a law office.

Fred Reilly, of Big Valley, and Mr. Grant, of Nanton, were two of the old-timers who made merry with the Calgarians at the big football dance.

"Chesty" Harper went to the Calgary rugby game to see if the game had changed very much. He has a six-year-old boy, who will probably captain the Varsity team in about 1938.

Miss Sadie Treacy gave efficient aid to the cheer practices of the Calgary grads when they prepared for the big game.

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A Student in Paris

By Margaret Hazlewood Gold.

(Miss Gold graduated from the University of Alberta in '18, *and became an M.A. in* '24. *In between, she spent some time studying in Paris. We may some day induce Miss Gold to describe for us the sensation of leaning over the top of Mt. Robson—there was no standing room—a feat which she performed last summer.*—Ed.)

For many hundreds of years two or three European centres have been lodestones for aspiring students, who because of the great intellectual advantages of these institutions, or by reason of the very romance of their growth, have felt drawn to them. And Paris is not of the least of these. From the time of Robert le Sorbon, who persuaded the good Saint Louis to provide a college for religious instruction, to the present day, when the Sorbonne with its numerous faculties has a student body of more than twelve thousand, the power of this great University to attract students from far and near has increased.

So that now, for one who cannot remain for the two, three or four years necessary for serious study in any department, a shorter period may be profitable, nay, rich in the acquaintance and friendship of fellow students from many foreign lands. For so we found it, we who discovered a common bond of interest, in the student quarter of Paris just a year ago.

From the moment you begin the gentle ascent of the little street, called the *Rue de la Sorbonne*, which skirts the huge grey stone mass of the University itself (a modern building fortunately and unfortunately); you become conscious of an atmosphere less foreign and unfamiliar than the *Avenue de l' Opera* and the *Rue de Rivoli* which brought you here. For the opposite side of the street is lined with musty, dim-windowed book shops; quietness and the scarcely worn cobblestones bespeak little traffic, while the plain structure of the University is thoughtful though not old. Your feet are on familiar though new ground—you are more at home than for many a day of feverish sight-seeing, and you are glad and feel that you in a measure belong.

The central court, to which a small gate and arched passage give entrance from this side, is busy all day and any day with students in animated groups or in twos and threes—providing it is not raining, for then they are reduced to the columned arcade which forms one end of the court. Here there are splendid glassed mural paintings on one side, on the other the court showing purple-grey between wide set columns; and here many a shy student has, while walking back and forth, ventured to speak to his neighbor of the previous lecture and has added mayhap one more to the store of friends which he is unconsciously making. Because this massive building has so much to offer by way of architectural and artistic interest, even beauty in some of of its frescoes, anyone to whom an English University was unknown might not notice that not a blade of grass or a flower is anywhere to be seen to offset the stern lines of grey stone.

From this court in various directions is access given to every part of the University, which is in most respects very modern and carefully arranged. The halls are high, light and wide and the lecture rooms commodious. The latter are sometimes circular in form, with their seats arranged in tiers one above the other in a series of concentric circles. One is obliged to resort to a primitive use of knee plus hat to serve as note-book support, but this is not a serious deterrent when professors are eloquent and students interested. Far more serious is the fact that lecture-room windows have not, I verily believe, been opened since they were first set in place, and the soporific powers of a late afternoon atmosphere are unbelievable!

The Sorbonne does not provide for all the faculties under its own roof, but the

Ecole de Medicine, *Ecole de Droit* and the engineering school of the *Polytechnique* in the near vicinity, is each a busy centre of activity in its particular faculty.

Nothing can quite equal for bustle and hurry and excitement the *Boulevard St. Michel* on a winter's evening, when, immediately after six o'clock, many hundreds of lively students are released from a day of lectures and labs in the vicinity. Arm-in-arm in groups which stretch across the extremely wide *trottoir* of the boulevard—progress in the opposite direction is well-nigh an impossibility. It would be interesting to fall in with the irresistible current and find out where individual students are going now, and later on discover where they live.

For student residences and dormitories are unknown, and for the great majority, whose homes are not in Paris, a *pension* (corresponding to the English boarding-house) must be sought, with all the blessings or otherwise which a landlady may involve. Some whose means are very limited, and there are many such, take a cheap little room high up under the gables and procure their meals at one of the innumerable cheap student restaurants of the *Quartier Latin*. And I think a Canadian student would be struck by the quiet orderliness of Julien's or Chartier's during the busy noon hour.

French students are for the most part excellent and serious workers, and I feel sure this can be explained by the fact that university training has in France no particular stamp of social approval, so that the universities are not burdened with social aspirants receiving their "finishing," but are filled with those who feel a definite urge and ambition toward that training. Nor are these necessarily confirmed book-worms with no interest in the normal joys of youth, but are most natural and gay between study hours; and on the rare occasions when the students meet in any numbers (for there are no student organizations as we know them) for a demonstration or monster parade, the combined noise may be half as great as an equal number of Canadian students would produce!

The glamour of study in Paris is rose-tinted and delightfully attractive with all the mystery of the unknown before one has been there. With the hard facts of living, of preparing difficult work for exacting professors, of trying to make a foreign tongue do for you what your own does so easily, of the very uncertainty of a foreign atmosphere, the glamour is whisked away with startling speed. Nor does it ever return!

For several months, during which you are busy adapting yourself and learning the happy lesson of fitting conditions rather than making them fit you, life may seem difficult, drab, unsympathetic and cold. But that phase passes too, and as gradually you form a niche of your own, and as one by one bonds are formed and responsibilities assumed, this great unknown turns a more familiar face. You become less ready to generalize from detached details (an ever-present danger when in a foreign country), and because one Frenchman may unceremoniously push you from the first step of the omnibus, you remember that he is an exception and do not denounce them all in one breath. And as the face of Paris becomes more and more familiar (who dares say he really knows it?) so does it by every bond of affection draw you to it; and instead of through a rose-tinted glass, you see it through the eyes of love and understanding. The glamour is gone, but a more permanent and enduring bond based on knowledge has taken its place.

Oxford-Alberta Debate

A crowd of two thousand people that filled the new Empire theatre, stage and all, and thousands of others listening by radio heard the debate between the universities of Oxford and Alberta on November 21. It was undoubtedly the best debate in the history of our university, and the fact that the audience listened for two hours and a half without restlessness testifies to the quality of the speaking.

Alberta took the affirmative of the resolution: "That the external affairs of Canada should be conducted by His Imperial Majesty upon the advice of his Canadian ministers, and that obligations so incurred should be binding on and enforceable by Canada alone." George J. Bryan, B.A., was the leader, and he was given splendid support by Joseph O'Brien and James Mahaffy. The visiting team consisted of M. C. Hollis, leader; Malcolm MacDonald (son of the British ex-premier) and J. D. Woodruff.

The method of deciding the winner was a novel one for this country, but it has been the traditional method of the Oxford Union, where the purpose is not to satisfy selected judges, but to convince the audience. Ballots were circulated before the debate, and each person in the audience cast a vote for either the affirmative or negative of the question. After the debate he voted again. That side was victor which succeeded in swaying the greater number of votes. The count showed the following results: Before the debate the affirmative had 964, the negative 469. After the debate the affirmative had 832, the negative 459. It will be seen that both sides lost votes; but since the affirmative lost 132, and the negative only 10, the victory went to the Oxford team.

The debate showed the contrast admirably between the two methods of debating—the sledge-hammer style of Canada, on the one side, heavy with facts and arguments; and on the other, the swift rapier-thrusts of wit and satire more destructive than tons of arguments. Both sides were excellent, but there was a marked difference between the Alberta men's careful and thorough marshalling of facts denoting long study, and the readier, more flexible manoeuvring of their opponents. The quickness of mind displayed by the Oxford debaters was something new, and kept the audience in delighted surprise. Nothing but good can come from this revelation of a style of speaking with which Canadians are all too little acquainted, and one looks for far-reaching effects in our University debating. When all is said and done, it was a contest that will long live in our memory.

From Edmonton the Oxford men went to Calgary to debate Calgary representatives of the U. of A. At the time of going to press, reports of this event are not at hand. The Oxford team proceeds from Canada to New Zealand on a tour round the world.

FRENCH BURSARY STUDENTS

Dean Kerr has had a letter from Arthur R. Morgan, B.A., Alberta, 1922, written from the University of Grenoble, France. Mr. Morgan was appointed a year ago to the first of the French Government Bursaries put at the disposition of the University of Alberta. He went to Europe in the Autumn of 1923, and has spent the year in study at the University of Paris and Grenoble. From the former he has secured the "*Diplome d'Etudes de Civilisation française*" and from the latter the "*Certificat d'Etudes françaises.*" He states that he is well satisfied with his experiences, and only regrets that he cannot spend another year in France. He intends returning to Alberta for Christmas, and expects to resume his teaching at once.

Miss Ada A. Anderson, B.A. 1920, M.A. 1923, who was appointed to the same Bursary in September last, has arrived in Paris, and has begun her work at the Sorbonne.

THE INITIATION

It will be of more than passing interest to graduates to know that the entry of the class of '28 into the University coincided with some rather marked changes in the men's initiation.

For some years past there has been a growing opinion, both in and outside of the University, against certain of the features which usually accompanied the Sophomores' welcome to the Freshmen. Last year, for example, the street parade, an ancient rite of tender memory, was eliminated from the ceremony, and again this year, so that it may now be considered as altogether a relic, never to be revived. Also, while in certain cases individual instruction was given along the line of previous years, Initiation Day this year was free from the strenuous hazing which heretofore has characterized it.

The morning and afternoon were given over to the staging of the inter-faculty athletic meet, the usual events being rounded off with the Freshman live-pig rugby contest, and the Freshman-Sophomore flag-rush.

Previous to University Day, as Initiation Day is now called, being an official holiday, the second year men made a serious attempt to bring before the new students something of the organization and traditions of the University. A tour of the buildings was carried out, with special attention to the various researches now being conducted, and to the work of the Extension Department. Further, various practices for songs and yells were held, and the constitution of the Students' Union received some studious attention.

The initiation committee this year deserves commendation for the way in which they attempted to curb the excesses which enthusiasm and zeal have led to in the past. It is to be hoped, next year, that Class '28 will follow up the good work done, with a determination to secure just the happy proportion of instruction and frolic that an effective welcome to new students would seem to demand. Frolic was almost absent this year. Initiation cannot have too much of it if it be original and genuine fun.

NEW APPOINTMENTS TO THE UNIVERSITY STAFF

The opening of the 1924-25 session saw several changes ni the University staff. Former Inspector M. E. Lazerte, M.A., has been appointed lecturer in Philosophy to replace Asst.-Prof. McPhee, M.A., B.Educ., who has accepted a chair of Psychology in Toronto.

Professor Klevin, LL.B., B.C.L., has gone to Saskatchewan to lecture and also to practise law. Sigvald Neilson, B.A., LL.B., has been appointed Instructor in Law.

Mr. W. A. Drummond, M.A., is lecturing in the place of Asst.-Prof. McGouin, M.A., B.C.L., who has been granted leave of absence in order to take more advanced studies.

Miss Winnifred Hughes, M.A., has taken the place of Mr. Harkness, M.A., of the Department of Zoology, who has resigned.

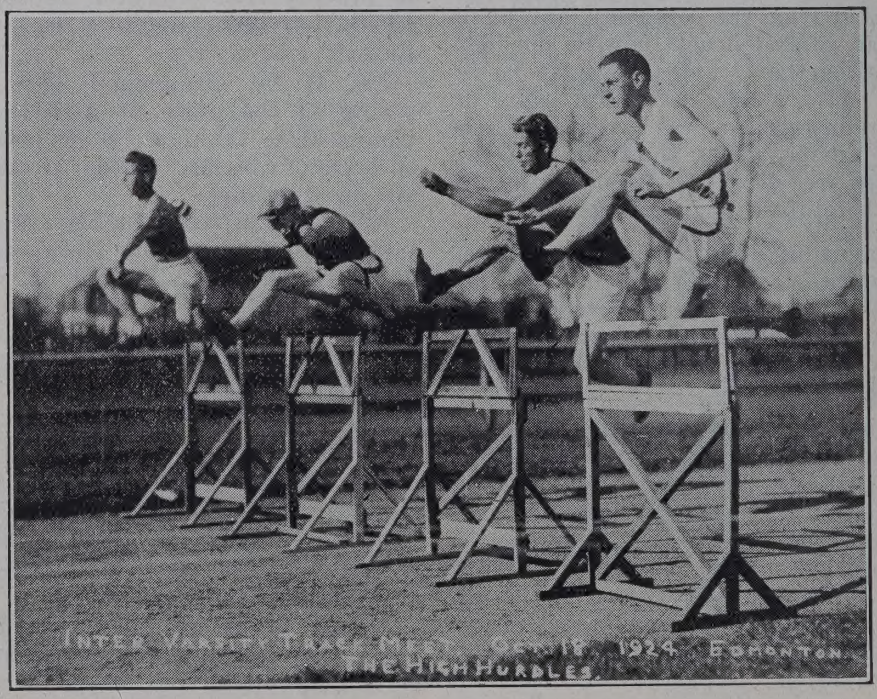
Mr. A. J. Cook, B.Sc., A.M., has returned as Lecturer in Mathematics. Mrs. Mitchell, M.Sc., has gone to Austin, Texas.

Mr. F. M. Salter, M.A., of the Department of English, has gone to Chicago to complete the work leading to his doctor's degree. Mrs. C. L. Huskins and Mr. Jewett have been appointed sessional instructors in English.

Asst.-Prof. R. Sandin has returned to the Department of Chemistry after receiving his Ph.D. at Chicago.

SHORT STORY COMPETITION

The University of Alberta Writers' Club offers a prize of fifteen dollars for the best short story in which is depicted life at the U. of A. The competition is open to all undergraduates and alumni. Mr. Rache Dickson, secretary of the club, will receive the stories up to March 1, 1925. No limits of lengths are placed. The one essential is that in some way the University shall be a necessary part of the story.



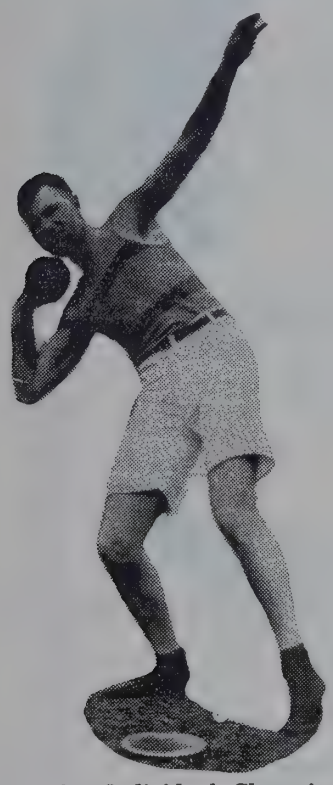
At the Western Universities Track Meet.

Athletics At Varsity

Inter-Collegiate Track Meet

The fifth annual track meet of the western universities was held in the South Side Athletic Park on October 18. There has not been such a galaxy of athletes performing here since the fall of '21, when the second annual track meet was held.

Manitoba once more won the Cairns cup, with Alberta taking second place, Saskatchewan third and British Columbia fourth.



Aubrey Bright, Individual Champion at the Western Universities Track Meet

Full evidence of the success of the meet can be seen in the fact that out of sixteen events nine new records were established. The excellence of the track and the perfect weather that day made everything favorable for the smashing of old records, and the athletes certainly availed themselves of the opportunity.

To "Aubs" Bright, our weight man, goes the glory of winning the individual championship. In doing so, Bright set up a new record for the sixteen-pound shot and also bettered his record of last year in the discus. Cohen of Manitoba set up two new records, doing the 100 yards and the 220 yards in times which compare very favorably with those made in Eastern universities for these distances. Considerable improvement was noticed in the pole vaulting this year, all five contestants clearing the bar to break last year's record. Hutchison, of Saskatchewan, finally won this event with a jump around eleven feet. Another athlete who made afine showing was Russell, of Alberta. His jumps, in the running broad and running high, got him first place in both these events.

A feature of the meet was the excellent showing made by the new member, the University of British Columbia. With only six men to compete with, our old friend, Jack Buchanan, proved more than able to hold his own against the larger teams. This is only the second time that British Columbia has entered a team in the W.C.I.A.U. track meets, but they are proving to be a dangerous contender for the Cairns cup.

Inter-Faculty Track Meet

The first attempt at combining the inter-faculty track meet and the Sophomores' informal reception to Freshies was made this fall. The full turn-out of Freshmen under the watchful eyes of the "Sophs" made the meet very successful from a financial point of view.

The Arts faculty were successful in winning first place, but Commerce and Science made the race for first place more than interesting by following very closely behind. Law, with their lone representative, beat out Medicine for fourth place. The individual championship went to Cliff Osterland, who easily outdistanced all competitors in amassing points.

Considering the short period which the contestants had to train and the difficulty in getting students to try out for the

teams, a very creditable showing was made. Next year will probably see many added features to this combined initiation and field day.

Rugby

With the loss of such players as Jack McAllister, whose prowess as quarter-back will long remain in our memories. Dunc McNeill and Sam Savage, a pair of half-backs whose punting and running was always a treat to watch, "Chief" Davis, outside wing par excellence, Leonard Wrinch and Archie McCauley, who have proved their worth to the Varsity senior team for the past three years, Coach Jimmie Bill would seem to have an insuperable task to coach a team fit to uphold the name of the University in the provincial league. Yet this has been done. With Henderson, McLaren, Bissett, Selnes, Thompson, Backman, Agnew, Laverty, Mitchell, Stewart and Lesfrud of last year's team, together with a few new recruits, a rugby team has been turned out that is a credit to our institution.

True it is that Varsity lost both the games to Calgary, but in neither of the games was Calgary very superior to Varsity; in fact, as far as line plunging is concerned Varsity excelled. Calgary may attribute her wins to the experience of four games which they had already played before Varsity had played one game.

Inter-Faculty Rugby

Plans have been drawn up for an inter-faculty rugby tournament, but on account of the scarcity of uniforms it has been very difficult to get the tournament under way. The Meds and Arts teams managed to beg, steal and borrow enough uniforms to equip their men, and some fair rugby was witnessed when these two aggregations tangled on October twenty-fourth. By some good work on the half line the Meds emerged victors by a handy margin. With the advent of wintry weather the prospects of finishing the tournament do not seem very bright.

Tennis.

The first inter-collegiate tennis tournament was attempted this fall. The University of Saskathewacn sent up four players who were successful in carrying away the honors from Alberta. This form of inter-collegiate sport proved very interesting to the many tennis enthusiasts of the University, and next year should see even further developments along these lines.

The regular tennis tournament brought out a large number of entrants, but the heavy snowfall cut the tournament short.

Fred Russell, Champion High Jumper

Basketball.

With the loss of Hugh Teskey, defense man de luxe, George Parney, who for five years has held Varsity crowds spellbound by his shooting, and Jack McAllister, Varsity's all-around athlete, Manager O'Brien is going to have his hands full to get together a team that will come up to the standard set by previous teams. Since the basketball season has not started yet, the new material is an unknown quantity; but of last year's senior squad, Butchart, McLaren, Husband, Galbraith and Stoner are back, and these men, together with the new material, should furnish some good games for the basketball fans.

Hockey.

Like every other club, hockey has been hard hit by the absence of many of last year's first string men. Ken Duggan, captain of last year's team, has graduated, Bill Powers, who starred on the senior team last winter, had the misfortune to get his leg severely fractured during the summer, Sam Savage is not back, nor is Leisemer or Coupez. This leaves MacDonald, Lawton and Williams to start with as a nucleus for a senior team. Undaunted by his losses, President McMillan, of the hockey club, has laid plans to enter a team in the city league, and possibly play one or two games with one of the western universities.

Inter-faculty hockey has received a very rude jolt by the decision of the University authorities not to operate the rink this year unless 400 season tickets are sold before November 20. If the required number of tickets is not sold, the chances for a rink this year look decidedly slim, and if so one of our most popular winter sports is going to suffer considerably.

Other Sports.

The University of Saskatchewan's soccer team was supposed to have played here on November the first, but the heavy snowfall made it necessary to postpone the game to some future date.

A swimming tournament was held this fall in the Y.M.C.A. The meet was contested for by the different years, the Sophomores taking first place, with the Juniors second and the Seniors third. Every event was keenly contested.

The Boxing and Wrestling clubs have not commenced their activities yet, but the programme calls for several tournaments in the Varsity gym as well as entries in the provincial tournament. Plans are also being discussed for the construction of a regular boxing ring in the gym.

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CANADIAN
UNIVERSITIES.

AT WEMBLEY.

The University of Alberta Exhibit is seen on the left.

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Theses At The University

In the last *Trail* we printed a long list of papers written by members of the University staff. The interest it aroused encouraged us to search further (not that much searching is required) for signs of intellectual productivity at the U. of A., and through the kindness of the Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences we are able to publish the following list of theses accepted for post-graduate degrees. They are now kept in the University Library.

THESES.

1912—

1. Dyde, W. F.—A Study of the Psychology and Dramatic Reasonableness of the Alcestis of Euripides.

1913—

1. Mitchell, E. T.—Bergson's theory of Memory.

1915—

1. Adam, J.—Psychology of Impressionism.

2. Quance, F. M.—The Present Situation in Elementary Education.

3. Sheppard, R. S.—The Radial Velocity of Stars.

4. Telfer, D. H.—The Role of the Child in English Drama up to the Time of Shakespeare.

1916—

1. MacVicar—The Origin, Composition and Occurrences of Coal in Alberta.

1918—

1. Berry, W.—Royce's Philosophy of the Absolute.

1919—

1. Seyer, W. F. — Chemical Investigation of the Bitumen in the Bituminous Sands of Alberta.

1920—

1. Sykes, W. — Prolegomena to the Study of the Life of Christ.

2. Tuttle, G.—The effect of low temperature on Plants.

1921—

1. Hollies, R. T.—Preliminary Investigation of Weathering of Alberta Coals.

2. Lewis, J. W.—Further Investigations of some of the Properties of Alberta Coals.

3. Morecombe, P. G.—A History of the Text of the New Testament.

1922—

1. Bainbridge, S.—The Historical and Permanent Elements in Religion.

2. Laycock, S. R.—Critical Review of Schweitzer's "The Quest of the Historical Jesus."

3. Lehmann, F.—Ultra-sonic Oscillations. 2 parts.

4. Lewis, J. W.—Further Investigation of Some of the Properties of Alberta Coals.

5. Webb, H.—An Investigation to determine the Concrete-making properties of certain aggregates in local use at Edmonton.

1923—

1. Atkinson, N. H.—Investigation on Carbonization and Briquetting of Alberta Coals.

2. Diller, D. — The Early Economic Development of Alberta.

3. Hanna, W. F.—The Growth of Corn and Sunflowers in Relation to Climatic Conditions.

4. Morgan, S. C.—Electrical Oscillations.

5. Ogston, A. W.—The Search for a Norm in Theology.

6. Sanderson, J. O. G.—Criteria for determination of the Upper Cretaceous Sandstones occurring in Alberta.

7. Shaver, A.—A Comparative Study of the Autobiography in Smollett's *Roderick Random* and *Peregrine Pickle* and Dicken's *David Copperfield* and *Oliver Twist.*

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1. Blair, S. M.—An Examination of the McMurray Bituminous Sands.

2. Dowding, S.—The Distribution of Potassium in Plant Tissues.

3. Hedley, R. W.—Rhythm as Related to Art, Literature and Music.

4. MacDonald, W. D. — Canadian Shorthorn Sires.
5. Reid, C. D.—The Ultra-sonic beam.
6. Scroggie, A. G.—An Investigation of the Chemical and Physical Properties of Ash of Representative Alberta Coal.
7. Sheppard, R. S.—Sex Differences.
8. Sonet, E.—Voltaire et L'Influence Anglaise.
9. Taylor, J. G.—A Study of Superior School Children.
10. Yatchew, J.—Ukranian Literature.
11. MacLeod, W. J.—A Behaviourist's Interpretation of the Reasoning Process.
12. Dr. Collip—Researches in the History and Discovery of Insulin.

SOME OF THE VISITING SCIENTISTS

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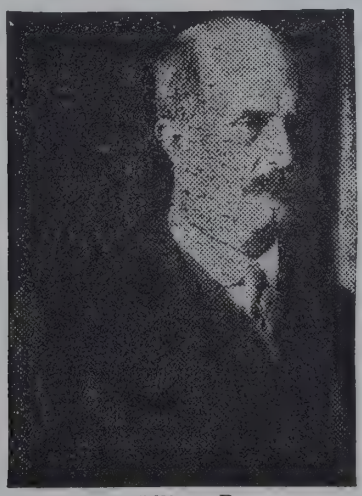

Sir William Bragg.

The British Association in Canada

The annual meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science in 1924 (being the 94th year of the Association) was held at Toronto from August 6th to August 13th.

The Association has met in different parts of the British Empire in turn; in Australia, in South Africa, in the British Isles, and in Canada, with the object of giving a stronger impulse and more systematic direction to scientific inquiry. At the last meeting there was held concurrently a meeting of the International Mathematical Congress, many of the leading European mathematicians being present.

These societies attracted the attention of the citizens of Toronto and Ontario to

a marked degree. The Canadian newspapers and journals reported the papers and discussions to an extent never before equalled in the history of the Association, being ample evidence of the manner in which science has seized the popular imagination.

Sir David Bruce, President of the British Association

The inaugural meeting and presidential address held in Convocation Hall was given by Sir David Bruce, who spoke on "The Prevention of Disease."

The following is a list of the popular lectures:

Voice Production—Sir Richard Paget.

On Cod Liver Oil—Prof. J. C. Drummond.

Sense of Humor in Children—Dr. C. W. Kimmins.

Human Heredity and National Outlook—Prof. W. McDougall.

The Forces that Lift Aeroplanes—Prof. V. Bjorkness.

The Vegetation of the Canadian Rockies—Prof. F. J. Lewis.

Atomic Disintegration — Sir Ernest Rutherford.

Work in the Himalayas—Prof. J. W. Gregory.

Citizens' lectures were also given on Einstein's Theory of Relativity by Prof. A. S. Eddington, and on Explosives (with experiments) by Sir R. Robertson, and many other subjects.

It is impossible in the short space of this article to give any account of the hundreds of highly technical papers given in the thirteen sections of the Association, nor was it possible for members to do more than keep track of the papers in their own section. The University of Alberta was represented in the Botanical section by four communications out of a total of twenty-three.

Many entertainments were arranged for the visitors during their stay in Toronto. His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Cockshutt entertained them at a garden party in the grounds of Government House. A Conversazione was held in their honour at Hart House. The Senate and Board of Governors of the University held a garden party for them in the grounds of the University. This, in spite of frequent thunderstorms, was followed by a cricket match on the front lawn. Many excursions were arranged for the different sections, to mines and industrial plants, and to Timagami Lake and Niagara Falls.

Following these meetings the members made a tour through Canada to the Pacific Coast. En route to Vancouver a sectional meeting was held at Edmonton, when papers were read by members of the geological, physical, botanical and agricultural sections.

The City entertained the Association to luncheon at the Macdonald Hotel, after which motor drives were arranged to show the visitors the surroundings of Edmonton. This was followed by a supper served by the University in Athabasca Hall. The evening was spent in the inspection of the building and laboratories of the institution, and the members caught the night train for Jasper.

Many of Section K. Botany, instead of taking the train through to the coast, motored through the Rockies to Windermere. The motor party was arranged by Dr. Lewis; and Dr. Tory, Dr. Lehmann, Dr. Revell, and Mr. Ramsay kindly lent their cars. Many excursions were arranged on the way, giving ample opportunity for botanizing. After spending five days in the open, Section K rejoined the train at Banff, bound for Montreal.

DEEP WATER EXPERIMENTS.

A series of important and interesting experiments was carried out this summer under the direction of Professor R. W. Boyle, Dean of the Faculty of Applied Science. Professor Boyle continued some of his former work carried out during the war in England and France, by undertaking new experiments on the problem of deep water sounding, and on the peculiarly Canadian problem of ice-berg detection. The work was carried out on board a Dominion Government steamer, the S.S. Montcalm, the scene of operations being off the coasts of Cape Breton, Newfoundland, Anticosti, Labrador and in the Straits of Belle Isle.

In the ice problem it turns out that the bergs can be detected for short distances in deep water (a hundred fathoms and over), up to a maximum range of about three-quarters of a mile with the largest and most powerful instruments so far constructed. If, in the future, there should be a development leading to increased power of transmission or additional sensitivity of reception, this range of ice detection will be increased in due proportion. But even for such short ranges, this new method is the only one known, short of actual seeing, whereby ice-bergs can be detected at all.

The experiments in deep water sounding showed that, generally speaking, sounding can be easily accomplished and depths measured for all depths greater than about one hundred fathoms. The speed of the ship makes no difference, and this method has an advantage over other new sounding devices now being investigated in that only one detecting instrument is required instead of two, namely, a transmitter and a separate receiver.

A further possible use of the apparatus was suggested at times during the summer, when the ship had to make a rocky headland or to enter a harbor mouth or channel in a fog. It would be possible with this apparatus to project for five or six miles from a shore station an underwater beacon, which a ship suitably equipped with reception apparatus could pick up and by which it could be guided past the point of uncertainty or danger.

Professor Boyle was assisted by Charles D. Reid, M.Sc., formerly a student at Alberta, and now a post-graduate student in Physics at Harvard University.

THE NEW RHODES SCHOLAR

Edward N. Gowan, more popularly known as Ted, has been chosen as Alberta's Rhodes Scholar for 1925. Mr. Gowan graduated in Arts in '23, and is now taking his last year in Applied Science. He will take up residence at Oxford in 1925, where he will specialize in Engineering Physics.

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Odd Bits

The First Social Function of the season was the Arts Club hike to White Mud Creek. Some hundred and fifty Arts students sang lustily around the huge bonfire, and did away with fifty yards of hot-dogs.

Thirteen Senior Students in Animal Husbandry made a six-hundred-mile tour of the leading stock farms in the province just before the opening of the term. From these students a team of five has been selected to compete in stock judging at Toronto, Guelph, Chicago and other eastern fairs. They are now spending about a month in the East. Travelling expenses are being paid by the Macdonald Tobacco Company, which also offers the stock-judging cup.

Skovgaard, the Danish violinist, gave a recital in Convocation Hall under the auspices of the Lit on November 11. A gratifying feature in this connection was that in the first day and a half of the seat sale practically the whole house was sold out to the students.

If You Were to think of dropping in to the Tuck you might not find it, for it has been rebuilt in the form of a large bungalow, and presents a modern, spacious appearance. Still on the same spot, however.

At Registration this year new students filled out questionnaires about their literary, musical and athletic interests. As a result of information gained thus, the *Gateway* has already given work to several aspiring editors.

It is refreshing to hear that Dr. Tory has recovered from his recent illness. Some of the Alumni will remember Dr. Riddell's description of life as "Jumping from one difficulty to another." If this be a correct interpretation then the President has had life more abundantly. That the University is what it is, is due to the fact that Dr. Tory has been able to prepare for and overcome the difficulties that must inevitably lie in the path of one upon whose shoulders is laid the burden of establishing a University upon a sure foundation.

Herbert Heaton, M.A., M.Com., D.Litt., lecturer in Economics and director of Tutorial Classes in the University of Adelaide, Australia, will deliver a series of four lectures on current problems in Australia at the University of Alberta on December 8, 9, 10 and 11.

Flunkers of Days Gone by will be interested to know that 60 per cent. henceforth will be the pass mark on supps. This will no longer be averaged with term marks, but by his supp will the student stand or fall.

Registration at the University this fall is larger than ever in almost all departments. Complete figures will be given later.

Professor D. A. MacGibbon is the author of a new book, *An Introduction to Economics for Canadian Readers*, written, as its title indicates, with a Canadian background.

DERE AM GWINE TO BE GREAT DOIN'S.

After a most successful football dance, the Calgary Alumni Executive have made arrangements for their first annual Christmas-week dance, when the Plaza will be turned over to the grads, students and former students and their friends. The executive has selected Monday, December 29th, for the night of the big festivities.

It is probable that many of the grads in Southern Alberta will make an attempt to attend the Christmas dance. All of the Calgary students and former students will be invited. After the football dance, the Calgary grads found that they scarcely knew by name many of the later or earlier students, but by the end of the year the executive hope that the Calgarians will be welded into a unit with the object of good fellowship among the members and enthusiasm for the Gold and Green.

PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

The Philosophical Society presents the following programme for the present session:

MEMBERS' MEETINGS.

Oct. 15th—"Dairying in Alberta," C. P. Marker, LL.D.

Nov. 12th—"Chemistry and the 20th Century," O. J. Walker, M.A., Ph.D.

Jan. 14th—"Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness," W. Dixon Craig, Esq.

Feb. 11th—"Back to the King's Highway," K. A. Clarke, M.A., Ph.D.

March 11th—"The Rod in Education," S. R. Laycock, M.A., B.Ed.

April 8th—"Musical Drift," L. H. Nichols, B.A.

PUBLIC LECTURES.

Oct. 29th — "Present Tendencies in Medical Research," J. B. Collip, Ph.D., D.Sc.

Nov. 26th—"The Press and the Public," J. M. Imrie, Esq.

Dec. 10th—"Labour Policies in Australia," Herbert Heaton, D.Litt., University of Adelaide.

Jan. 28th—"Greece, Yesterday and Today," W. H. Alexander, M.A., Ph.D.

Feb. 25th—"David Thompson, Fur Trader and Explorer," N. C. Pitcher, B.Sc.

March 25th—"The Modern Hospital," R. T. Washburn, M.D.

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Sparks From the Treasurer's Anvil

Have you paid your fees yet for the year 1924-25? You have already received one notice, so don't put it off any longer. The Treasurer has a capable staff and can handle promptly all the news and money that the members can send. Let's have some every mail. How about it?

W. M. Fife, '13, seems to be the only Science man of Class '13 to keep in touch with the Treasurer. A short note from him conveys the news that he is busy; and also that he sees Prof. A. E. Cameron, Dept. of Mining Engineering, fairly frequently. Prof. Cameron is at Boston Tech. for a year's p.g. work.

Cecil Tapp, '19, of the Dominion Seed Branch, Calgary, was in to see us one day. His visit was short but to the point.

F. W. Gray, '21, has been heard from again after a silence of nearly two years. He is with Wilcox and Gibbs, San Francisco, a concern which manufactures sewing machines. "Jock" is assistant sales manager.

Keith Tester, '24, paid a visit to Varsity during October to renew his friendships before making a visit to England. He expects to go to the University of California, Berkeley, after Christmas to study Soil Physics.

Miss Agnes McFarlane is teaching in the high school in Kamsack, Saskatchewan.

Bev. Mair, B.Sc. '23, has a demonstratorship in chemistry at Harvard, and is also continuing his studies. He and Charles D. Reid, M.Sc. '24, are living together at 22 Trowbridge Street, Cambridge, Mass. Charlie

is continuing his work in electro-physics towards a Doctor's degree.

Bert Lang, B.Sc. '23, who has been an assistant chemist in the laboratory of the Provincial Analyst for the past summer, and also at the Marlborough Cement Works, has returned to Edmonton. Bert hopes to do further post-grad. work here next year.

James Brown, George Bryan, Alf. Bramley-Moore, Bert Rudd, all of Arts '23, are back at Varsity completing their courses in Law.

H. R. Webb, '21, spent the past summer in and around Pittsburgh. He worked for the American Bridge Co. in Ambridge, Pa., for three months, and during that time spent the week-ends with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bryden, in Pittsburgh. He spent September visiting relatives in Ontario, and arrived back at Varsity just in time for the beginning of lectures.

Jim Nicoll, '22 and '24, is with the C.P.R. in Calgary. He came up early in October on Company business, and spent about three weeks in Wetaskiwin and a week in Edmonton.

J. A. McDonald, '24, and Homer Lebourveau, '24, are both in Lethbridge just now. J. A. is on highway work with the Department of Public Works, and Homer is with Westinghouse Electric, installing some three-phase equipment in the power plant there: J. A. claims Homer is too lazy to write. We wonder—how about it, Homer?

The Treasurer is very glad to hear from those who passed through the University soon after it got well under way. With the letter from McDonald and Lebourveau of class '24, came one from J. Archer, '15. Mr. Archer is still carrying on his practice as Barrister at Lake Saskatoon and Beaverlodge, Alberta.

Reg. Barnecut, '22, has at last been traced to earth through the help of S. K. Jaffary, '21, who visited him this summer. "Barney" is detailing for Worden-Allen Co., a large firm doing general engineering work. His address is 2003 Grand Ave., Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He says he is coming west for a visit in a few months. What's coming off, Barney?

To Miss Bertha Lawrence, '21, far away in England we send thanks for the fees which she sends through a friend. Her address remains the same as last published.

Hugh John MacDonald, B.A. '21, is teaching in Banff again this year. His interest in athletics seems as strong as ever, as he made a trip back to the Alma Mater to see the inter-varsity track meet. Ted Davis is also in Banff, but doesn't write very often.

The following extract from a letter to the Treasurer should prove of interest, especially to Class '22: "Norman M. Plummer, LL.B. '22, has relinquished the practice of law, and on June 15th, 1924, was ordained by the Rt. Rev. W. C. Pinkham, D.D., Bishop of Calgary. He is now in charge of the Parishes of Okotoks, Millarville and Priddis and the surrounding country, in all about five hundred square miles. On July 15, 1924, he married the only daughter of the Rev. J. C. Scudamore, of Ditchingham, Norfolk, England."

Clarence Manning is working with the Manning Lumber Company, Calgary. He paid us a visit at the time of the inter-faculty track meet.

Midnight in August, on the Goose Lake line.—The editor met Jimmie McMillan, B.Sc. '24. Jimmie is working with the Westinghouse Electric at Calgary. On this trip he got off at Youngstown to do some work, and seemed to be bearing up well under his responsibilities.

A very interesting letter was received a few days ago from the Rev. Jos. W. Bainbridge, B.A. '21, M.A. '22. Joe is now Pastor of the Union Church in Provost, Alberta. He wishes all his old friends to note his new address, and use it beside a new three-cent stamp on an envelope. Having denied himself many luxuries in order to be among the elite for the year 1924-25 (he didn't say this, but we think it may be the case), he has made ample amends for past sins, and we would like to wish him "Best o' Luck" in his new location.

Many members of the Association will be glad to hear of an old classmate in Dr. Ewart Sarvis. Dr. Sarvis took his early work at the U. of A., completed it in the East, and is now practicing in Provost, Alberta.

John W. Lewis, '21, paid a week-end visit to Edmonton early in November. He was around the University a couple of times looking up old friends. John is surveyor for the Mountain Park Collieries.

Miss Jean McQueen, '22, was in the city for the teachers' convention on November 6th and 7th. She is teaching at Lake Isle, Alberta.

Vegreville High School can boast of its teaching staff having three members of the U. of A. Alumni: Miss Ruth Balaam, B.A. '24, Miss Helen Roscoe, B.A. '22, and J. B. Glover, B.A. '21. They can also boast of the fact that sixty-six and two-thirds per cent. of those members are "in good standing."

Wanted—at once—a few hundred members like W. M. Fleming, B.S.A. '19, who sends his fees for the year 1925-26 as well as for the current year. Mr. Fleming is District Agriculturist, representing the Live-stock Branch of the B.C. Department of Agriculture. He is located at Duncan, B.C. During his spare time he is studying extra-murally for an M.S.A. degree at the U. of B.C.

Another visitor to Varsity during the last few days was F. P. Whitman, '23. He is receiving congratulations these days on the birth of a young son. We offer our very best wishes to him and Mrs. Whitman.

Another good member of the Alumni is Alex. B. Jackson, '23, who in spite of strikes, has been able to blow himself to a "blow" in

Spokane, Wash. While there he learned how quickly the dollars shrink to shin plasters, so he got busy and sent a pair of nice, dirty, full sized (or nearly so) Canadian dollar bills to the Treasurer, who was then busily engaged keeping the cinders out of his eyes in Pittsburgh. Since A. B. may see this, I guess I had better admit that the two bills were one money order which was "not negotiable" for two months. Think of it and weep.

J. Millen, '24, spent the summer with the Survey Department of the Brazeau Collieries, Nordegg, Alberta. He was apparently able to steer clear of all "shell" games, or maybe he salted down two simoleons for the Treasurer, so he would have the Trail assured for the long winter evenings ahead.

D. F. Philp, '22, is now teaching in the Vermilion High School.

Wm. De Mille, '24, is in Chicago. We hear that he was married in August. How about it, Bill?

Miss Dixie Pelluet, '19, has taken up her duties at Bryn Mawr College, Pennsylvania, where she is the incumbent of a fellowship in botany.

Miss Margaret B. Russell, B.Sc. Pharm. '21, has completed a year's apprenticeship with Mr. Hardisty, druggist, and is now dispenser at the University Hospital.

Miss Mildred E. Rowe, '24, is teaching a rural school at Drayton Valley, Alberta, twenty-nine miles south of Entwistle. She hopes to renew active relationships with all her friends when she returns in December.

News from Ottawa conveys to us word of Mr. G. R. Stevens, '15, who has been Trade Commissioner for Canada at Kingston, Jamaica. He has been transferred to Cape Town, South Africa, and sailed from Canada early in May.

Pat Donaldson, '22, has been a silent member since last spring. How about collecting the Los Angeles bunch again this fall, Pat?

I. W. Jones, '22 and '24, is working as a research assistant in geology at the University of Toronto. His address is 71 Charles St. W. Our old friend "Six" Langford works in the same department. Apparently there are enough Alberta grads in Toronto to form a thriving branch of the Alumni Association.

Art Fraser, '24, is working in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Pennsylvania R.R. in Pittsburgh, Pa. He is not very keen on remaining in railway work, but when he thinks of Sir Henry Thornton, who got his start in that very office, he is tempted to show Sir Henry a few things about railroading. He is living with R. B. Bryden, '22, and family, at 130 Grandin St., Crafton, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Box 402, Hawthorne, California, is where J. A. Carswell, '20, calls for his mail.. For the past year he has been working for a contracting firm. He mentions seeing Elmer McKitrick, '20, once in a while. That reminds us that we haven't heard from "Mac" for a long time. Come through with some of the gruesome details, E. S.

Mrs. L. Coursier, nee Miss G. F. Duclos, gives us a few particulars of the world's new oil centre, Wainwright. Even the drinking water from the wells has a film of oil on it, and she "often longs for a drink of our good old muddy water from the Saskatchewan."

Another old-timer came back to the flock this fall. Mr. David H. Elton, K.C., LL.B. '14, showed very definitely that he wants to line up with the U. of A. and get his "Trail."

A letter of appreciation of the "Trail" and especially the "Anvil Chorus" was left in lately from C. B. McAllister B.S.A. '21. He spends the winters in Calgary, but goes through the south in the summer, demonstrating irrigation practices. He is responsible for the following three bits of news:

R. S. B. Lillico, '20, has been engaged in railway engineering work near Oakridge, Oregon. He was last heard from in Los Angeles, where he attended the "get-together" of U. of A. grads in February last.

A. P. Hunter, '21, is the rising young cattle-king of Innisfree, Alberta.

Hector McArthur, '21, has left the Claresholm School of Agriculture to take charge of a grain elevator in the same place. He has been succeeded as Field Husbandry instructor by E. G. Bayfield, '23.

N. H. Atkinson, '22 and '23, better known as "Steve," has wandered from the wasteland of Arizona back to Southern B.C., and is now in Kimberley. How about stopping off here on your next lap, Steve?

A very formal looking document arrived the other day. At first glance we thought we would have to blow five plunks on a wedding present, but we were "agreeably disappointed" that it wasn't. It announced that James R. Davidson, B.A. '21, has commenced a law practice under the name of Dunne and Davidson, with chambers in the Albertan Building, Calgary, Alberta.

R. E. Fetter, '22, and Keith Muir, '23, have returned to Varsity, and are continuing their studies in Civil Engineering.

We wish to offer our heartiest congratulations to this year's Rhodes Scholar, E. H. Gowan, '23. We know that Ted will be a credit to our Alma Mater, and we wish him the best of good fortune.

Wilda Blow, '21, has been granted a year's leave of absence from the Calgary Public School staff, and has gone to England to study music.

Susie McLennan, '22, is taking a course in Physical Education at the University of Washington. Just send us a few lines from 4733 University Boulevard, Seattle, Susie.

Margaret C. Archibald, '23, reports at length. In Toronto she has attended two Sunday assembly services at Convocation Hall—"on both occasions I've heard an address on the subject of 'Why do you come

to University?' I wish some public-spirited individual would answer that question exhaustively and conclusively for the benefit of all speakers who are asked to address successive generations of college students." Margaret has found friends in Toronto, for Dorothy Whiteman is across the hall and Marjorie Bradford also lives near.

Dorothy Diller, M.A. '23, has moved from Vegreville to the High River High School. We would like to hear how the climate suits you!

Class '22 and others will be glad to hear that Helena Keith is recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever at Wainwright, where she has been teaching.

Daphne Garrison, '22, is home at Westlock after a year in Stettler.

Peggy Stanford, '24, is at Lacombe, and Daphne Koenig, '22, at Ponoka. A despatch from either place would be welcome at headquarters.

During the summer W. G. Jewitt, '23, while working in the Industrial Research laboratory, had his leg severely burned by a mixture of hot tar-sands. After a long time in the hospital he is now convalescing and is able to be out.

D. B. Simpkin, '22, writes again from Chile. He is still with the Braden Copper Co., and seems to be having a fairly good time. The size of his cheque speaks well for his attitude to the Alumni Association and his Alma Mater. We shall be glad to hear from him again.

William Swift, '24, came up from Tofield to attend the Oxford debate and the second meeting of the Alumni Association.

Miss "Libby" Lloyd, '12, was also at this meeting. Miss Lloyd came in from her home at Waskatenau to spend two weeks among University friends.

The Vermilion fair last summer turned out to be a gathering of the clan. The following alumni were there, the first five with their wives: George Clark '21, E. H. Buckingham '21, N. F. Bell '19, B. J. Whitbread '18, J. E. Kirk '21, J. E. Meagher '21, Jack Cross '23, Jerry Moore '21, Bob Sinclair '18. Vermilion has enough graduates to form a local of the Alumni Association.

Dorothy Whiteman, '22, is taking post-graduate work at Toronto.

J. W. McAllister, B.S.A., has recently joined the staff of the Department of Extension.

Sinclair Budd, '21, is teaching among the Hutterites, near Magrath.

Miss Jessie Bickel, '24, is teaching in Calgary after spending the summer on a Calgary newspaper.

Dr. Whitney ("Jitney") Banks, B.A. '21, is practising medicine in Montreal.

Dr. Edward J. Miller is in Calgary at the present.

Dr. Noel Sulis is practising in Kansas City, althought he took a holiday to see his Calgary home in October.

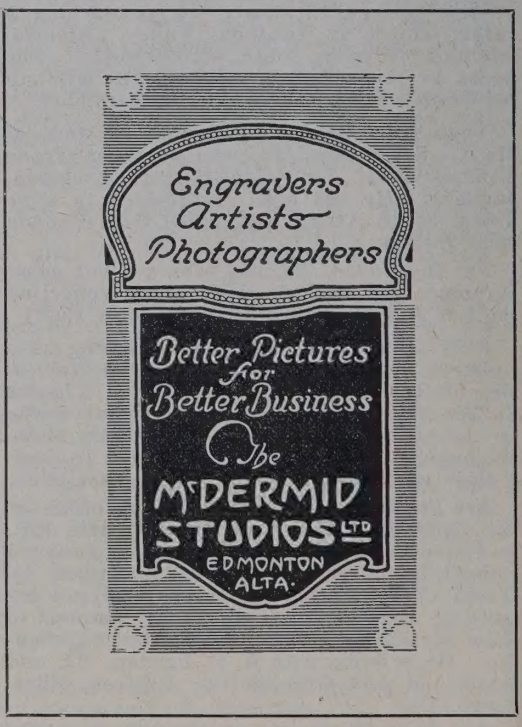
Miss Margaret Malone, '24, spent the summer as Dietetician in the Mental Hospital at Ponoka, but is now in the University Hospital as Special Dietetician. We are indebted to her for the next few items.

Miss B. Timmins, '24, is in Chilliwack, B.C. She is teaching H.Ec. in public and high schools and likes it very much.

Miss Hilda Wilson, '24, is still in the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton.

Miss Ferne Stacey, '24, is going to start her pupil dietetics course at the University Hospital on December 1st.

Miss Hazel McIntyre, '24, is taking her practical work in the Vancouver General Hospital, and will probably remain there until the end of November.



Marriages and Births

MARRIAGES

Baker—Stubbs—At Calgary, on November 8, 1924, Frances Lovella Stubbs, M.A. '24, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Stubbs, to Roy Irvine Baker, B.Sc. '24. Mr. and Mrs. Baker have made their home at 716 4th St. N.W., Calgary.

Bridgeman—Gardiner—At Macleod, Alberta, in August, 1924, Bessie Dow Gardiner, '21, to Oscar Cleon Bridgeman, Assistant Professor of Chemistry. Mr. and Mrs. Bridgeman are spending a year in Boston before returning to the University of Alberta.

Brown — Mann — At "Willowbrook Farm," Alix, on July 16th, 1924, Evangeline Olive, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mann, to William Redman Brown, B.S.A. '23, of Edmonton. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have made their home in Edmonton.

Blundell—MacEachern—At Wetaskiwin, on September 1st, 1924, Marion Mae MacEachern, B.A. '23, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan MacEachern, to Captain Peter John Stuart Blundell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blundell, of Stratford-on-Avon, England. Captain and Mrs. Blundell have made their home at Wabamun.

Caldwell—Rowls—At Empress, Alberta, on November 10, 1924, Miss Jessie Rowls to Dr. A. L. Caldwell.

Campbell—Hulbert—At Edmonton, on September 24th, 1924, Lula B., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hulbert, to William P. Campbell, B.Sc. '23, son of Mrs. Robert Campbell, 86th Avenue, Edmonton. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell have made their home at 10723 80th Avenue, Edmonton.

Cook—Campbell—At Edmonton, on Sept. 12th, 1924, Margaret Campbell to Alexander J. Cook, '20, son of Mrs. John Cook, of Edmonton.

Goodwin—Wilson—At Calgary, on November 11, 1924, Dr. Margaret Jean Wilson, B.A. '22, to Ralmond Denison Goodwin. Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin will reside at Irricana, Alberta.

Graham—Fraser—At Edmonton, on October 14th, 1924, Bessie Kennedy Fraser, B.A. '20, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fraser, 9734 111th Street, Edmonton, to Frank Graham, of Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Graham have made their home at Coleman.

Matthews — Parsons — At Altoona, Florida, Ada Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Parsons, to Whitney Matthews, B.Sc. '21, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Matthews, Daysland. Mr. and Mrs. Matthews are living in the Armstrong Block, 104th Street, Edmonton.

Murray — Simpkin — At her home, Maple Creek, on August 28, 1924, Mary Simpkin, B.Sc. '23, to Archibald Murray. Mr. and Mrs. Murray have made their home at Melfort, Saskatchewan.

McLeod—Williams—At Gull Lake, on July 30th, 1924, Ruth Williams, B.A. '21, to Munro McLeod, B.A. '21. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod have made their home at Medicine Hat.

McLellan—Parney—At Edmonton, on Sept. 3rd, 1924, Lena Rose, only daughter of Mr. L. D. Parney, to William Norman McLellan, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McLellan, of Fort Saskatchewan. Mr. and Mrs. McLellan have made their home at 10226 103rd Street, Edmonton.

Neilson—Smith—At Westlock, on Sept. 27th, 1924, Madge Smith to Sigvald Neilson, LL.B., '24. Mr. and Mrs. Neilson have made their home at 10722 106th Avenue, Edmonton.

Pegrum—Pheasey—At Edmonton, on July 30th, 1924, Marion, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pheasey, to Dudley Frank Pegrum, M.A. '24, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pegrum. Mr. and Mrs. Pegrum have made their home at Lethbridge, where Mr. Pegrum is an instructor in the High School.

Scroggie—Cobbledick—At Edmonton, July 31st, 1924, Marguerite, only daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. Cobbledick, of Edmonton, to Arthur D. Scroggie, M.Sc. '24, only son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Scroggie, of Bow City. Mr. and Mrs. Scroggie are living on 85th Avenue, Garneau, Edmonton.

Turner—McIntosh—At Edmonton, on July 29th, 1924, Annie Beatrice, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. McIntosh, to Dr. William James Turner. Dr. and Mrs. Turner have made their home at 9834 90th Avenue, Edmonton.

Wees—Johnson—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Cameron, Alexander Block, Edmonton, on September 27th, 1924, Frances A. Johnson to Wilfred Wees, B.A. '23. Mr. and Mrs. Wees have made their home in the White Block, Edmonton South.

Wilton—Iddings—At Edmonton, on August 27th, 1924, Alta Iddings, B.A. '24, to Chas. R. Wilton. Mr. and Mrs. Wilton have made their home in the Scona Block, Edmonton.

BIRTHS

Allan—At the Misericordia Hospital, Edmonton, on October 20th, 1924, to Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Allan, a son, Edward James.

Campbell—At the Misericordia Hospital, Edmonton, on September 24th, 1924, to Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell, 11138 87th Ave., a daughter, Florence Elizabeth.

Moss—At the Private Patients' Pavilion, Toronto General Hospital, on September 8th, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Moss, 437 Crawford Street, Toronto, a daughter, Marion Shipley.

McAllister—At Edmonton, on October 16th, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McAllister, 9314 80th Avenue, Edmonton, a daughter.

MacGibbon—At the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, on September 24th, 1924, to Dr. and Mrs. D. A. MacGibbon, a son, Peter Richard.

Whitman—At the General Hospital, Edmonton, on October 18th, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Whitman, a son, Charles James Edward.

Wilton-Clark—At the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton, on July 18th, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilton-Clark, 11115 89th Avenue, a daughter, Dorothy Jane.